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SUBJECT: TTPI: REFERENCE TO PUERTO RICO IN AMB WILLIAMS'
LETTER TO MICRONESIAN SENATOR TENORIO

REF: STATE 105036

WE AT USUN ARE SURPRISED AT REFERENCE IN AMB WILLIAMS' MAY 5
LETTER TO SENATOR TENORIO TO PUERTO RICO AS "TERRITORY OF THE
UNITED STATES." MAIN EMPHASIS OF OUR POSITION IN UN AGAINST
CUBAN EFFORTS TO LIST PUERTO RICA AS "COLONIAL APPENDAGE" OF
US IS THAT PUERTO RICO HAS UNIQUE POLITICAL STATUS OF SELF-
GOVERNING COMMONWEALTH. USG FOR OVER 20 YEARS HAS RECOGNIZED
PUERTO RICO'S DISTINCTIVE POLITICAL STATUS BY SEPARATING IT
FROM TERRITORIES ADMINISTERED BY INTERIOR DEPT. WE ARE CON-
CERNED OUR PREDICTABLE DAMAGE TO US IN UN FORUM, AS WELL AS
IN PUERTO RICO TO REFERRING TO PUERTO RICO IN THIS MANNER.
IF NOT TOO LATE, WE SUGGEST DELIVERY OF LETTER BE HELD UP
SO THAT LANGUAGE MAY BE IMPROVED.
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